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Applicant:	Stacey L. Schultz-Cherry et al.	Examiner: Shanon Foley
Serial No.:	10/684,129	Group Art Unit: 1648
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Title	METHOD TO DETECT ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR TYPE-2 TURKEY ASTROVIRUS	

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed November 10, 2005, said period of response being extended from February 10, 2006 to March 10, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of $60.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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